

## Message Text

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S E C R E T CAIRO 1239

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PFOR, EG, XF  
SUBJECT: RABAT SUBSIDIES

REF: CAIRO 890

1 FAHMY CONFIRMED TO AMBASSADOR YESTERDAY THAT FONMINS CONFERENCE IN RIYADH HAD AGREED TO RABAT SUBSIDIES FOR 1977 AND 1978. HE CLAIMED PARTICIPANTS, WITH SINGLE EXCEPTION OF KUWAIT, HAD ALSO AGREED TO PAYMENT OF 1976 SUBSIDY. AMOUNT OF EGYPTIAN AND SYRIAN SUBSIDIES IS \$582.5 MILLION EACH.

2. FAHMY ASSERTED THESE FUNDS, WHEN RECEIVED BY EGYPT, WILL BE USED FOR MILITARY PURPOSES. (AS DEPT AWARE, GAMASY HAS OUTSTANDING BILLS WITH THE FRENCH AND BRITISH FOR MILITARY EQUIPMENT.) FAHMY CLAIMED THAT RECENT USG OFFER OF ADDITIONAL WEAPONS FOR ISRAEL HAD ENABLED CONFRONTATION STATE REPRESENTATIVES TO PRESS OIL RICH ARAB STATES FOR THESE FUNDS AND WAS IMPORTANT FACTOR IN OBTAINING THEIR AGREEMENT PAY.

3 FAHMY NOTED THAT GOE IS RECEIVING ADDITIONAL  
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FUNDING FROM SAUDI ARABIA, BUT DID NOT SPECIFY NATURE OR AMOUNTS.  
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